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# THREATS FORCE MURDER STORY FROM WITNESS

Bullied and Baited by Police, Stolid Chinaman Tells Grewsome Tale.

 GIRL CHLOROFORMED AND THEN CHOKED

Chung Sin Heard Struggle and Saw Body, Yet Exhibited No Concern, Accepting Leon's Statement That Woman "Bit Her Tongue and Bled to Death."

### No Haven for Murderer

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 22.—
Minister Wu, China's representative
here, to-day made a personal appeal
to lis constructed in this city to
nid in the enpure of Leon Ling. As
a poster writen in Chinese characters, this appeal was scattered
through Washington's Chinatows.
It read as follows:
"All Chinamen are bidden to give
no succey to Leop Ling, and to direct their bes. efforts to bringing
him to justice as as unworthy man,
who has brought disgrace upon his
country men in America."

sion of the crime.

Coroner Harburger and held in 06 bail to await the inquest.

Forced Him to Confess.
ung Sin is thirty-five years old.
was argested yesterday at West vay, N. Y., and was brought to York this morning. He was plied questions, builled, persuaded and ngled in a mass of significant intes. It was not until late to-day. tory from Chung Sin's lips at the prisoner, brought the confession. at the prisoner, brought the confession.

It was made partly in English and partly in Chinese—for there was an interpreter present—and was taken down by stenographers. The more sallent facts of the confession soon become known about the building.

First Drugged, Then Choked.

From the man, story it is converted.

First Drugged, Then Cheked.

From the man's story it is apparent that Elsie Sigel first was drugged with chloroform and then choked to death. She was killed apparently on the night of June 9, although Chung Sin appeared a little mixed in his dates. But he says that early in the morning of June 10 he heard a strange noise in Leon's room, adjoining his, and, looking over the transom, saw the girl lying on the bed with a bloody towel over her mouth. He passed towel over her mouth. He passed through the room, he says, to go out to wash his hands, and as he did so, felt the body which was still warm. He went down to the chop-suey res-aurant below, and then returned to the room. Leon in the meantime had covered the body with a blanket up to the chin and had pulled a trunk to the middle of the floor. The trunk to the mindle of the moor. The trunk Leon was calmly emptying preparatory to placing the body therein. The rope with which the corpse was bound was lying on the floor at the time, according to Chung Sin. Once again he went downstairs, said Chung Sin, and there remained until Leon called him.

Here remained until Leon cared mind.

Body Put in Trunk.

When he re-entered the room, the body was not visible, having been bound with the rope and placed in the

trunk.

At this point of the story, the Chinaman was asked savagely if he had not assisted Leon in putting the body in the trunk. Chung Sin started perceptibly, but said that he had no

the trunk. Chung Sin started perceptibly, but said that he had no hand in it.

"I didn't see her no more," said Chung Sin, "and when I asked Leen how she died, he said she had bitten her tongue and bled to death.

Leon told him, Chung Sin added, that he was going to send the trunk to Jersey City, and thence to Europe. As a matter of fact, it lay untouched in the stuffy little room until Sung Leung, proprietor of the restaurant below, summoned the police.

Heard Scufffe in Room.

Heard Scuffle in Room. Until Chung Sin's complete account te made public, it will not be ex-plained why he saw the dead girl and the preparations for the removal of (Continued on Page Four-Column 3.)

to the spectators, Major Fred S. Pounzhas been detailed to maintain a complete patrol of the fields over which Orville will fly.

Thousands of persons are expected to attend the flights, including President Taft and the prominent government officials. On account of the expected performances, many people have remained longer than usual in the city before taking their summer vacation.

### UNVEILS FRENCH SCANDAL

parliamentary commission, which investigated the naval scandals in France, has been turned in. It is a scathing condemnation of the naval administration for the past ten years, and makes an astounding exposure of the deplorable condition of the fleet, for which France has spent \$700,000,000 since 1899.

mission that at the eend of a naval battle of six hours the ships would find it impossible to replenish, and would be virtually out of commission. The commission recommends the complete reorganization of the depart-ment, the elimination of red tape and the distribution of responsibility.

### COMPANIES BANKRUPT

Mobility to Realize Promptly on Out-shunding Accounts Causes Trouble. MOBILE ALA, June 22.—Vastine J. Harlong, owner of the Manistee Mills Company, at Manistee, Ala., was thrown into bankrupter to 2. the neighborhood of \$100,000 a liabilities \$200,000. The troubles said to be due to inability to real promptly on outstanding accounts.

New York Firm Fails.

NEW YORK, June 22.—Elliott C.

Smith and Frank P. Holran, of the New
York Stock Exchange firm of Smith
& Holran, made an assignment to-day
for the benefit of creditors. The bus-

# HEAVY COTTON CROP

# SITUATION CONFUSED

fused by the Reichstag's adoption of a quotation tax, which Chancellor Von Buelow declared the government would never accept, and the finance committee's rejection of an inheritance tax, which he declared to be an essential part of the central scheme of finance reform. This leaves the chancellor's position extremely precarious. Many politicians now think that the chancellor will be compelled to resign, unless he has the courage to dissolve the Reichstag and appeal to the country.

# TRIES TO MURDER FAMILY

Negro Kilis Planter, Fatally Injures
Wife and Shoots at Son.
DUBLIN, GA., June 22.—Georgo
Howell, a planter, was killed and his
wife was fatally wounded by Robert
Jenkins, a degro, this morning near
Scott, in Johnson county. A young
son of Howell was also fired upon but
was uninjured. The negro escaped.
Howell demanded settlement of a
debt by the negro, who pulled his
pistol and fired upon the entire family.
Jenkins is being pursued by a large
posse of officers and Howell's neighbors with trackhounds.

# FOUGHT BLOODY BATTLE

Turkish Army Defeated by Albanian Insurgents After Long Fight.
VIENNA, June 22.—It is reported from Uskuh, European Turkoy, that General Djavid Pasha has suffered a serious defeat at the hands of 14,000 Albanian insurgents near Petch, in a vain attempt to dislodge them from a narrow pass. The Turkish loss is estimated at fourteen officers and 350 men killed or wdunded. Among those killed was the Young Turk leader, Kiamil Bey.

# BEHEADED WITH AXE

Voluminous Records Filed.

WASHINGTON, June 22.—The appeals of the government from decisions of the lower courts in the St. Louis Terminal Company case and the Oberlin M. Carter case were filed in the office of the clerk of the Supreme Court of the United States to-day. To the casual observer the size of the records in the two cases is the most striking thing about them, the Carter records covering thirty volumes and the St. Louis record tan

# AIRSHIP NEARLY READY Time Draying Noir, but Wrights are WASHINGTON, Unit 20 page 12 page 2 p

Them on Free List Was Solely in Interest of Manufacturers. "Boh" Taylor's Witty Speech Puts Solons in a Good

and Longe, constituting the Republican membership of the Senate Finance Committee; Speaker Cannon, Representative Payne, chairman of the House Committee on Ways and Means, and Representative John Dwight, of New York, the Republican, whip of the House.

Terms of the Measure.

For two hours after the dinner the corporation tax measure, which had been prepared in the form of an amendment to the tariff bill. was viewed from every angle.

after deducting their general and ordinary running expenses, interest on bonds up to the amount of the capital stock of the corporation, interest on notes and other forms of tangible indebtedness and any actual loss that may have been incurred in business, which loss was not made up by insurance, salvage or other form of return.

Character of Losses.

The amendment will define in the broadest possible way the character of losses which may be deducted from the net earnings upon which the tax is to be collected. These losses will include

lected except upon earnings in excess

ulent return upon any of the subjects

ulent return upon any of the subjects covered by the law, will be subjected to a penalty.

No Time Limit Fixed.

The tax will be collected upon the entire amount of preferred and common stock of every corporation, and upon the bonds of a corporation where they exceed the total amount of capital

It is intended that the tax shall be It is intended that the tax shall become operative immediately upon the
passage of the law. The life of the
measure was made indeterminate instead of two years, or some other fixed
limitation; such as had been suggested
originally. The present year's tax will
be collectable on July 1, 1910, the heginning of the next fiscal year.

# PUTS DUTY ON HIDES

senate Restores Dingley Rate, Dis-

regarding House Amendment.

W. SHINGTON, June 22—Late today the Senate reached the voting stage on the hide schedule, and after several amendments had been defeated the recommendation of the Finance Committee fixing a duty of 15 per cent. ad vaiorem was agreed to 48 to 30. This is the rate of the present law, but under the ruling of the Treasury Department is applicable only to hides weighing more than twenty-five pounds. The House placed all hides on the free list, but the committee restored the Dingley policy by adding them to the dutiable list. The Senate sustained its committee.

Senator McLaurin undertook to have the provision amended so as to make the duty applicable to hides weighing less than twenty-five pounds, but falled, his amendment being voted down, 31 to 48.

The following Republicans voted with

BEHEADED WITH AXE

Orderly-Kills Lieutenant, His Wite and His Mother-in-law.

RIGA: June 22.—Lieutenant Ershin, while sieeping, was belreaded with an axe to-day by an orderly. His wife and his wife's mother also were killed after a short struggle. A baby was unharmed. The murderer made his escape.

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Battle With State Senator, While One of Number Cracks Safe and Secures \$3,500. Train Held Up Near Vancouver.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 22.—
Details of the proposed measure for the taxation of net earnings of corporations were arranged to-night at the most important conference that has been held at the White House since Mr. Taft assumed the presidency.

FORT WORTH, TEX., June 22.—In true frontier style, a highwayman, described as genteel in appearance, to-day robbed the branch banking house of the Waggoner Bank and Trust Company, in the heart of White House since Mr. Taft assumed the presidency.

Mr. King received.

Scouring the Country.

The cashier compiled with all orders, and seizing the roll of bills the man backed out of the door, still covering King with the revolver. King ran to a telephone as he saw the highwayman walking down the street mingling with the crowds with an air of unconcern.

The police reached the scene five minutes later, but the robber had disappeared. At the time of the hold-up several hundred persons were near the building, and many noted the arrival at the bank and the departure of the

Fort Worth for Dallas shortly after the robbery was overtaken by officers in an automobile, but this plausible means of escape had not been utilized. The loss to the Waggoner Bank is covered by insurance. The bank, howver, offered a reward of \$1,000.

Battle With Bank Robbers, State Senator C. J. Hewitt, presiden shots with the men, but they escaped, none of the shots taking effect. The deputy sheriff and posse are now

scouring the country in search of the fugitives.

The first explosion in the bank aroused Mr. Hewitt, who armed himself and fired continuously, the robbers

sued by a large number of

# ENGINEERS VOTE TO STRIKE

Under Canadian Law, Board of Coucilintion Must Be Appointed.
WINNIPEG, MANITOBA, June 22,—
Although the Canadian Northern Railway engineers to-day voted to strike,
under the Canadian law for settling under the Canadian law for settling labor disputes, a board of conciliation must first be appointed to see whether the strike can be avoided by arbitration. The engineers have applied for a board of investigation.

Several engineers were recently dismissed and the company has refused to reinstate them. This is the real grievance, 9s being an insult to the order.

# "ENTER THE PRINCESS"

Spain's King and Queen Rejoice Over
Birth of Daughter.

LAGRANJA, SPAIN, June 22.—A
princess was born to-day to the King
and Queen. The birth of a princess
is particularly pleasing to both the
King and the Queen, as they had hoped
that this child, the third, would be a
girl. The first two children are boys,
'rince Alfonzo, born May 10, 1907, and
Prince Jalme, born June 23, 1908.

The princess will be named Beatrice,
after her grandmother. The baptism
has been fixed for June 27.

# UNDER STARRY SKIES

Maude Adams Produces Schiller's "Mald of Orleans."

CAMBRIDGE, MASS., June 22.—Schiller's "Mald of Orleans" was rendered CAMBRIDGE, MASS, June 22.—Schillers "Maid of Orleans" was rendered to-might beneath starry skies with a close approach to historic details in the extensive areas of the Harvard stadium by Miss Maude Adams and a company numbering about 2,000 persons. The performance was undertaken for the benefit of the Germania Museum of Harvard.

More than 15,000 persons, massed ther on tier, saw the performance.

Attacked Witnesses in Court.
PALATAKA, FLA. June 22—In the
trial here to-day of J. M. Kelly and
D. M. Davidson, charged with the murder of W. C. Sellars, a sensation was
created when the defendant Kelley
jumped to his feet and exclaimed to a
State's witness: 'You lis like a dog.'
Kelley was quickly quieted and made
to resume his seat. The case will probably be concluded to-morrow.

Deweys at Hot Springs.
WASHINGTON, D. C., June 22.—Admiral and Mrs. George Dewey will leave Washington for Hot Springs, Va., the latter part of this week to spend the summer.

Says Only One Meal Was Served in Room and That Was for Mrs. Gould Herself-Case Nearing End.

Morris Benach, a member of a firm of hair-dressers for women, testified that he had dressed Mrs. Gould's hair on many occasions from 1902 to the present year. He remembered one particular instance in February, 1906, when Mrs. Gould attended Miss Lansbury's wedding at St. Thomas's Church in this city. The witness said Mrs. Gould showed no signs of having drank in this city. The witness said Mrs. Gould showed no signs of having dram anything at that time. There was at allegation in the complaint charging her with intoxication on that occasion. Benach said he accompanied Mrs.

of the occasions when he had dressed

Mrs. Gould's movements about the ho-

tel.
"Did you know that she telegraphed
Mr. Farnum to meet nor at your hotel?" asked Mr. Nicholl, on cross-examination.
The witness said he did not know.
"Do you have hall clerks and a

"Do you have hall clerks system of mirrors by which you observe the entrance and departure the guests from their doors?" asked Mr. Nicoll,

Mr. Nicoll.

"No, we do not," the witness answered.

"Your guests are free to go and come as they please—is that it?" asked Mr. Nicoll Mr. Nicoll, "Yes; but we have

who is expected to observe anything unusual," Mr. Lynn replied. Mr. Nicoll had the witness explain the items on the hotel bill. He said

the items on the hotel bill. He said
"50 cents for service" showed that one
meal had been served in Mrs. Gould's
rooms. He said there was no indication on the bill of any other meals
having been served in the rooms.

System of Mirrors.

Arthur L. Barney, formerly an assistant manager of the BellevueStratford Hotel in Philadelphia, was
questioned about the system of floor
clerks and mirrors at the hotel. Justice Dowling took a hand in the extice Dowling took a hand in the ex-

tice Dowling took a hand in the examination.

"Is it a fact that mirrors are so arranged on the doors of the rooms and in the corridors that the floor clerk, sitting in her regular position, if she looks, can observe any one entering or leaving any of the rooms on her floor?" asked Justice Dowling.

The witness said it was a fact.
"And is it also a fact that a maid upon opening the door of the room by the aid of mirrors arranged on the back of the outside doors and closet

back of the outside doors and close back of the outside doors and closet door in the room, can immediately see whether or not the bed has been occupied?" asked Justice Dowling, "Yes, if the mirror is not on the closet door it is in some other convenient part of the room," replied the witness.

Mrs. Hedmeg Jacobsen, a Swedish masseur, testified that Mrs. Gould was an early riser and never drank anything more than a little wine with her meals.

Witnesses Contradicted. Witnesses Contradicted,
John H. Leay, a contractor, who was
doing some work at the Blue Gap Farm
in September, 1996, contradicted the
testimony of the carpenter, Trotter,
who said that Mrs. Gould on one oc-(Continued on Page Two-Column 2.)

### ABANDON NILE TRIP

Roosevelt Family, After Visiting Europe, Will Return Next Fall.

NEW YORK, June 22.—Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt and three or the Roosevelt endidren—Miss Ethel, Archie and Quentin—will leave New York on June 26 on board the White Star Line steamer Cretic for Gibraltar and Naples to pass the summer on the continent. The Roosevelt party will spend a month with Miss Carew, Mrs. Roosevelt's sister, at a villa near Rome, after which they will go to France on a trip planned especially for Miss Ethel's benefit. Mrs. Roosevelt and her children will sail for America about November 1, having abandoned the previously arranged plan of remaining in Europe through next winter and journeying up the Nile in the spring to meet Colonel Roosevelt.

Killing Lions Now.

Colonel Roosevelt.

Killing Lions Now.

NAISHA. BRITISH EAST AFRICA,
June 22.—All the members of the
Roosevelt expedition at present in
camp on the Loletta plains, in the
Solik district, are in excellent health.
Theodore Roosevelt has shot another
lion, while a very large tawney-maned
lion has fallen before the rific of his
son, Kermit. This animal holds the
record for size on the present expedition. Kermit also has killed two
cheetahs. In addition the party has
secured three giraffes, two eland, six
topi, and a large number of minor antelope.

### INDIANS DRIVE OUT WHITES

Outbreak Along Line to Be Followed by Renewal of Old Trouble.
VICTORIA, B. C., June 22.—That there is imminent danger of an uprising of the Indian tribes of the Skeena River country, shortly to be pentrated by the Pacific Railway, is reported in dispatches from Prince Rupert, the terminus of the new transcontinental line. The local point of disturbance and danger is in the Kisploux Valley, where the tribes have served notices on all white settlers to leave, several being driven out at the riffle's muzzle under threat of death

leave, several being driven out at the rifle's muzzle under threat of death should they return. Others in the outlying district are hurrying into Hazelton for greater security, and reinforcements of police have already gone up the river to that point.

The Indian ferryman along the Upper Skeena have disappeared and notices written by the Indians decorate the trees at all old ferry points: "No whitea or their horses may cross this river." The trouble is of thirty years' standing and a recrudescence of the outbreak which required military force for its suppression in 1886.

### FREEDOM SNATCHED BACK

Clerk's Mistake Causes Pitiful Scene to

Chicago Court,
Chicago Court,
CHICAGO, June 22.—A fleeting hope
of freedom held out to a prisoner in
Judge Bregtano's court to-day, was
snatched from him in a way that
caused a sish of pity to spread among
the spectators.
The prisoner

# REFUSES TO WHIP SON

Father Lectures Judge, Declaring He Prefers Argument to Strapping.

NEW YORK, June 22.—Adolph Deutsch refused to whip his son instead of paying a \$2 ine and then lectured Justice Olmstrad yesterday in the Children's Court.

"There are better ways of bringing up children in the paths of righteousness than beating an appreciation of right and wrong into them from the exterior with cruel straps and cowhides," said Deutsch.

"I believe that instead of strapping our children we would do better by them and the cause of humanity and them."

# NO VIOLATION OF LAW

Swedenborgian Dectrine May Be Taught in Pennsylvania, Court Decrees. PHILADELPHIA, PA., June 22.—In an opinion reversing the Orphans' Court of Lancaster county, the Pennsylvania Supreme Court to-day decided that the teachings of Emanuel Swedenborg, founder of the Church of the New Jerusalem, are not in derogation of the iaws of Pennsylvania or repugnant to public policy. The case involves the residue of an estate left by Frederick John Kramph, of Lancaster, Pa., who died in 1853, leaving \$35,000 to seven frustees for the founding of an academy in which the Swedenborgian doctrine should be taught. Swedenborgian Doctrine May Be Taugh

# \$1,375 FOR A PENNY

Coin of the Saxon Hestarchy Sold a Sotheby's-Only One like It Known. LONDON, June 22.—In the course of a sale of coins at Sotheby's yesterday a penny of Wiglaf, only one other of penny of Wiglaf, only one other or which is believed to be in existence brought \$1,375.

Wiglat was King of Mercia about 825 A. D., just about the period when Egbert was beginning to weld, the Saxon Heptarchy into England.

Holmes Gets Commutation.
WASHINGTON, D. C., June 22—President Taft to-day commuted to life imprisonment the sentence of death imposed on Henry L. Schrifogie, allas 'Ducky' Holmes, convicted of the murder in this city in 1907 of Mrs. Mary A. Hamilton. The execution would have taken place next Thursday. Steamer Sunk; Crew Saved. PENA, MICH., June 22.

Stenmer Shirk; Crew as ALPENA, MCH., June 22.—The steamer W. P. Thew, owned by Hugh R. Havey, of Detroit, was sunk to-day off Thunder Bay Island by the steamer Livingstone. Cantain E. W. Duncan and the crew of eleven men escaped in yawis and were picked up by the steamer Mary C. Elphicke. Gentry Gets His Pardon.

HARRISBURG, PA., June 22.—Governor Stuart to-day approved the action of the State Board of Pardons, which last week recommended that a pardon be granted to James B. Gentry, the actor, who killed Madge Yorke, of the "Baggage Check" Company, here in 1895.

Bill Arp's Widow Dead. CARTERSVILLE, GA., June 22.—Mrs. C. H. Smith, widow of the noted "Bill Arp," died at her home here to-day, she was eighty-two years old.

# SCOUTS RESTING AT WARRENTON AFTER HARD RUN

Despite Miserable Road: Journey of 118 Miles Is Accomplished.

### ON TO WASHINGTON EARLY THIS MORNING

Short Stops Are Made Along-Route and Everywhere Pathfinders Get Enthusiastic Reception-Speaker Cannon and Other Notables Will Greet Them in Capital.

# Washington Awaits Coming of Scouts

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 22.— Washington seems rendy to give the good roads propagated from New York to Athania cordial indorsement when the scout cars which are, working out the best route between the two cities arrive here to-mor-row.

The two cities arrive here to-morrow.

Invitations for the reception have been issued. The guests, representing the Congress and the executive branch of the Kovernment, the Washington Board of trade, Chamber of Camaieree, Southern Commercial Congress and Washington Automobile Club, will leave from 1502 il Street at 11:30 o'clock in automobiles for the Virginin end of the Highway Bridge, where the scouts will be greeted and thin excepted to the New Williard Hotel. There, at 1 o'clock, will be held a brief good roads meeting, at which President Finley, of the Southern Rallway Company; Speaker Cannon, the Georgia Senaiors and others are expected to speak. A buffer luncheon will be served.

The scouts will remain in Wash-

The scouts will remain in Wash-logton oversight, partaking of the bospitality of the Automotice Club, before starting for Baltimore.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

| ARRENTON, VA., June 22.—The
| New York Herald and Atlanta
| Journal scout cars, accompaing W. F. Gordon, Lewis C. Williams and Blanchard Forbes, all of Rich-

o'clock. Out in front of the c house a great crowd had gath luncheon having been prepared that his reception committee was not promptly advised as to the time of arrival, although on this point mighty scant information could be given out

scant information could be given out in advance.

Among those who had assisted the Mayor were J. J. Porter, P. B. Porter, John W. Nunn, A. K. Deane, W. E. Cunningham, R. L. Gordon, Jr., A. T. Gordon, W. C. Bibb, W. J. Crank, E. M. Crank, F. M. Beale, Dr. H. W. Porter, J. R. Willis, T. C. Thompson, R. E. Porter, W. O. Sm. C. H. Gates, many of whom had their wives in the party. Horse Takes Fright.

While at Louisa James Crank's horse broke away from a hitching post without apparent cause, smashing the buggy into many pleces in his mad flight, When he ran the cars were standing quietly by.

Although it was hard to do it, the scouts had to beat on from Louisa, the jump to Gordonsville being over the flercest stretch of road encountered during the day. The party arrived at Gordonsville at 4:35 o'clock for dinner. A large crowd met the cars as the whiteled in.

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W. F. Gordon, driving a Stevens-Duryea car, led the way from Richmond, Lewis C. Williams, John Hayes and Blanchard Forbes accompanying him. The Times-Dispatch Chalmers-Detroit, driven by E. J. Ray, was next in line, the car being in charge of Allen Potts, managing editor, and a staff correspondent. The Herald's White Steamer kept the next position, the Atlanta Journal's Oldsmobile coming last in a whirlwind of dust.

Between Richmond and Louisa the scouts rushed by at high speed, the entire countryside turning out to wave its greeting.

In other sections, however, the route

its greeting.

In other sections, however, the route an other sections, nowever, the route was through a sparsely settled neighborhood ever roads that were miserably bad and which could be whipped into excellent shape at something like \$50 a mile.

likh \$50 a mile.

Plan Is Changed.

The original plan before leaving Richmond this morning was to sirike Manassas by night, but at Gordonsville the schedule was changed, and

the pathfinders left by the short route for Warrenton. Lewis Williams kept close tab.on the roads during the day's run, and as one of the vice-presidents of the Good Roads Association, he will endeavor to show what can be done in the way of improvement. Near Jackson, Mr. Hollins had out a repair squad, and while the machines went up against some-